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AND METHOD FOR PURIFYING GAS

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Sir:

This paper is presented in response to the Office Action of May 1, 2002.

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension. The requisite fee is enclosed.

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Enclosed herewith is a copy of a page Terence Allen's book entitled "Particle size
Measurement", Second Edition, published by Chapman and Hall Ltd.(1975)[Enclosure 1] and a
copy of a page from Ullmann's, Encyclopedia of Industrial Chemistry, Fifth Edition, Vol. A7, p.
160-161, 1986, editor Wolfgang GERHARTZ, publisher:VCH.

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